

FILING BY "EXPRESS MAIL" UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

Express Mail Label Number

Date of Deposit

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

Art Unit: 1646

AZRIA ET AL.

Examiner: Xie, Xiaozhen

APPLICATION NO: 10/565,455

FILED: APRIL 5, 2006

FOR: USE OF CALCITONIN IN OSTEOARTHRITIS

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

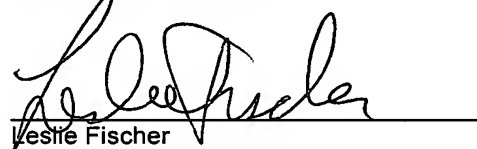
FEE LETTER FOR INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0134 in the name of Novartis in the amount of \$180 for payment of the fee pursuant to 37 CFR §1.17(p) for the submission of an Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR §1.97(c).

An additional copy of this paper is here enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 19-0134 in the name of Novartis.

Respectfully submitted,



Leslie Fischer
Attorney for Applicants
Reg. No. 58,393

Novartis Pharmaceuticals Corp.
Patents Pharma
One Health Plaza, Building 101
East Hanover, NJ 07936-1080
(862) 778-9308

Date: 12/2/08